DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

The following cases report actions involving butter that was adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed substance, Nos. 7578 to 7580; that was below the standard for milk fat content, Nos. 7581 to 7587; and that was short of the declared weight, No. 7588.

7578. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 56 Cases of Butter. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 15027. Sample Nos. 62355-F, 62356-F.)

LIBEL FILED: November 8, 1944, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 26, 1944, by the Jerpe Commission Co., Inc., from Fayetteville, Ark.

PRODUCT: 56 cases, each containing 32 1-pound cartons, of butter at New Orleans, La.

LABEL, IN PART: (Carton) "Clear Brook Creamery Butter Distributed by Wilson."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed animal substance.

DISPOSITION: January 17, 1945. The Jerpe Commission Company, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for refining into butter oil, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7579. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 4 70-Pound Cubes of Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 13870. Sample No. 61366-F.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about August 16, 1944, Southern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 8, 1944, by the Vinita Dairy Products Co., from Vinita, Okla.

Product: 4 70-pound cubes of butter, at Houston, Tex. Examination showed that this product contained mold.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed animal substance.

Disposition: October 17, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold on condition that it be denatured.

7580. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 134 Boxes (8,308 pounds) of Butter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for refining into butter oil. (F. D. C. No. 14576. Sample No. 90721-F.)

LIBEL FILED: October 24, 1944, Western District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 17, 1944, by the Sugar Creek Creamery Co., from Evansville, Ind.

PRODUCT: 134 boxes, each containing 62 pounds, of butter, at Louisville, Ky. Examination disclosed that the product contained mold.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, putrid, or decomposed substance.

Disposition: November 29, 1944. The Sugar Creek Creamery Co., Danville, Ill., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for refining into butter oil, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7581. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 50 Cartons (approximately 3,200 pounds) of Butter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for reworking. (F. D. C. No. 15099. Sample No. 5643-H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 16, 1945, Southern District of New York.

Alleged Shipment: On or about January 2, 1945, by the Hartley Creamery, Hartley, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 50 cartons, each containing approximately 64 pounds, of butter at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Butter Distributed by J. O. Marshall Draper-Valley Distributors, Inc. 503 New York, N. Y."